

DISTRICT REPORTS.

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BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

<i>Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.</i>		<i>Current.</i>	
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice, 2nd sort	7:30	6:90	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi	13:91	12:37	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort	...	7:47	

Agricultural operations.—Ragi is being thrashed. Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficiently available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Milling of sugar cane is reported to be in progress in parts of all the taluks of the district. The harvesting of potatoes in parts of Hoskote, ragi in parts of Doddballapur and paddy and ragi in parts of Magadi is also reported. Lands are being got ready for planting sugar cane in parts of Nelamangala, Anekal and Magadi. In parts of Magadi it is reported that manure is being carted to fields.
- State of standing crops.*—Vaisakhi paddy and sugar cane in parts of Doddballapur, Kankanhalli, Channapatna and Anekal; sugar cane in parts of Bangalore; and potato crop in parts of Devanhalli, are reported to be fair.
- Outturn of the harvested crops.*—Sugar cane—Bangalore, 6 to 8 annas, Hoskote, 8 annas; Doddballapur, 8 to 12 annas; Nelamangala, 8 to 16 annas; Kankanhalli, 12 annas; Magadi, 8 annas; Anekal, 8 annas and Devanhalli, 8 annas; Potatoes in Hoskote, 8 to 12 annas; ragi in Doddballapur, 4 to 8 annas and in Kankanhalli, 2 to 8 annas.
10. The prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.
11. Except for plague in the villages of Nagondahalli, Ramagondahalli, Vartur and Arekere of the Bangalore Taluk, Singasandra village of the Anekal Taluk and Iybasapur, of the Devanhalli Taluk, small-pox and plague in parts of Hoskote Taluk and small-pox in parts of the Magadi Taluk, public health is generally good.
12. Except for "foot and mouth disease" reported among cattle in Honniganhalli and other villages of the Magadi Taluk and "Chappe roga" and rinderpest prevailing in some villages of the Channapatna Taluk, cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available. In some parts of the Nelamangala and Devanhalli Taluks it is reported that drinking water for cattle is being supplied from wells.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Crops sown.*—Sugar cane is being planted in the Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.
- Crops harvested and their probable outturn.*—Sugar cane in almost all the taluks, yield 12 annas; and turmeric in the Sidlaghatta Taluk, yield 8 annas.
- Standing crops.*—Paddy and sugar cane are in a fair condition.
10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.
11. There have been a few cases of plague in the Kolar, Bowringpet, Mulbagal and Srinivasapur Taluks; otherwise public health is generally good.
12. Cattle are healthy. Pasture and fodder are available for the present.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown*.—Paddy in the Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Kunigal Taluks; nata ragi in the Sira Taluk; and sugar cane in the Kunigal Taluk and Koratagere Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in Tumkur and Kunigal Taluks, yield 8 annas; sugar cane in the Maddagiri and Kunigal Taluks, yield 8 annas; kadale in the Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Gubbi and Pavagada Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield 6 to 8 annas; castor in the Maddagiri and Pavagada Taluks, yield 2 to 6 annas; horse gram and cotton in the Pavagada Taluk, yield 2 to 4 annas; wheat in the Sira Taluk, yield 2 to 4 annas; and jola in the Chiknayakanhalli and Sira Taluks, yield 2 to 4 annas.

Standing crops.—These are reported to be in fairly good condition for the present.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for small-pox in parts of the Chiknayakanhalli and Pavagada Taluks and for plague in parts of the Gubbi Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy, except in parts of the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, where "Chappe Roga" is said to prevail. Water and fodder are reported to be available.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown*.—Manurial crops, viz., horse gram, green gram and black gram in wet lands in parts of the Seringapatam Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Sugar cane, Bengal gram, cotton, coriander and paddy are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane in parts of the Seringapatam and Mandya Taluks; Bengal gram in parts of the Mysore, Heggaddevankote and Nanjangud Taluks; and castor in parts of the Heggaddevankote Taluk.

Outturn of crops.—Bengal gram in parts of the Mysore and Nanjangud Taluks, yield 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stuffs are available. The Amildars of the Mandya, Gundlupet and Chamrajnagar Taluks report that some of the tanks in their taluks are drying.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Hunsur, Gundlupet, Nanjangud and T. Narsipur Taluks and small-pox in parts of the Chamrajnagar and Krishnarajpete Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops*.—Sugar cane and kar paddy in the Hassan Taluk; kode paddy in the Manjarabad Taluk; sugar cane in the Belur, Channarayana and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; and paddy, jola and sugar cane in the Arsikere Taluk, are reported to be in fair condition.

Crops sown.—Kadale in the Arkalgud Taluk is being sown.

Crop harvested.—Kadale is being harvested in parts of the Belur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good.

11. Except for small-pox in the Hassan, Arkalgud and Belur Taluks and plague in parts of the Belur Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "gerasalu" disease prevailing in Alur, cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations*.—Transplanting of Vaisakhi paddy has been commenced in parts of Sagar Taluk, and sugar cane is being planted in the Shimoga, Channagiri, Shikarapur, Sagar, Sorab and Tirthahalli Taluks.

Standing crops.—Bengal gram in the Channagiri and Honnali Taluks; and sugar cane in the Channagiri, Sorab, Sagar and Nagar Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane is being milled in all the taluks of the district; and cotton in the Honnali Taluk and arecanut in the Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.
11. Except for plague in parts of the Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, and Shikarpur Taluks, and small-pox in parts of the Shimoga, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks, public health is generally good.
12. "Foot and mouth disease" prevails in parts of the Channagiri, Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks. Otherwise, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Agricultural operations*.—Transplanting of paddy is being carried on in parts of the Mudgere Taluk.

Standing crops.—Kode paddy, sugar cane and Bengal gram in the Chikmagalur Taluk; wheat, sugar cane, castor and Bengal gram in the Kadur Taluk; sugar cane, castor and cotton in the Tarikere Taluk; kode paddy, sugar cane, pepper and coffee in the Koppa Taluk; sugar cane and chillies in the Mudgere Taluk; and sugar cane in Sringeri. All these crops are reported to be in a fair condition.

Crops harvested.—Coffee and kode paddy in the Chikmagalur Taluk, yield, paddy 8 annas; jola, Bengal gram and wheat in the Kadur Taluk, yield of paddy, ragi, samé, navane, coriander, Bengal gram, jola and wheat being 8 to 12 annas; that of horse gram 2 to 4 annas and that of avare 6 to 8 annas; ragi, castor, jola and coffee in the Tarikere Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas; sugar cane in the Koppa and Sringeri Taluks, yield in Sringeri being 8 annas; coffee in the Mudgere Taluk; and areca and paddy in the Yedahalli Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair on the whole. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.
11. Except for plague in Birur of the Kadur Taluk, and small-pox in a few villages of the Chikmagalur, Tarikere, Koppa and Mudgere Taluks, public health is generally good.
12. "Foot and mouth disease" is reported to be prevailing among cattle in some villages of the Chikmagalur, Kadur, Koppa and Mudgere Taluks and Yedahalli Sub-Taluk and also in parts of Sringeri. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Standing crops* such as sugar cane, paddy, cotton, wheat, Bengal gram, castor and chillies are reported to be in fair condition.

Seeds sown.—Paddy in the Hiriyr Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane in the Chitaldrug Taluk, yield 8 annas; bili jola in the Chitaldrug, Challakere, Hiriyr, Molakalmuru and Jagalur Taluks, yield 4 to 8 annas; cotton in the Challakere, Hiriyr, Molakalmuru and Jagalur Taluks, yield 2 to 10 annas; castor in the Challakere and Jagalur Taluks, yield 2 to 10 annas; Bengal gram in the Challakere and Davangere Taluks, yield 8 annas; wheat in the Hiriyr Taluk, yield 4 to 8 annas; and horse gram in the Jagalur Taluk, yield 2 to 6 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available.
11. Public health is generally good, except for the prevalence of plague in Davangere town and of small-pox in parts of the Chitaldrug, Hiriyr, Jagalur and Hosdurga Taluks.
12. Cattle are healthy, except for "Gulalu roga" in a village in the Chitaldrug Taluk and "foot and mouth disease" in parts of the Davangere and Hosdurga Taluks. Water and fodder are available.

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